## Client Enrichment Series - Q & A



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1) Q: Can you also provide excess furniture on this website?

A: In relation to GSA Xcess, that is one of the solutions in the Solutions Finder. Transactional platforms are accessed outside of the Gateway. You can also find links to buying platforms in hallways under "buy online".

2) Q:ls there information re: space/lease acquisitions?

A: You can check the Professional Services, Real Estate Services hallway, the Facilities & Construction hallway, and the SOWL. Posting in Community is also a great way to get specific information you can't find. Another way is emailing your questions to hallways\_site\_manager@gsa.gov.

3) Q: Is there RWA info and support? Is this connected to eRETA?

A: No this is not connected to eRETA or any other procurement, financial, or contract system. The Acquisition Gateway is not a GSA site. It is an OMB sponsored government wide site, so you won't find any GSA specific applications.

4) Q:ls there Info on BPA contracts and purchases, also?

A: There is information on BPAs in the Solutions Finder.

5) Q: Who can log into the Acquisition Gateway?

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A: Federal employees with a PIV / CAC card who register with Max.gov. You have to be able to use your PIV / CAC card with your computer. Anyone can explore and use the resources in the Non-Federal Government & Public Users view.

6) Q: Is the Acquisition Gateway still mainly for GSA?

A: No, it is for the whole federal government community. GSA is responsible for building it, but the content is mostly from outside GSA and curated by non GSA groups.

7) Q: Is the Acquisition Gateway a finished product?

A: No, the Gateway is developed in iterative cycles The changes are based on user feedback. So it is continually growing and improving.

8) Q: Are there more demos on the Acquisition Gateway and Category Management?

A: Yes! We have quarterly campaigns. Our next one is October 24, 2016 to November 4, 2016. We can also set up demos specifically for your office tailored to your team interests.

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